









London Assurance Office, Limited—\$74 per share.  
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$37 1/2 per share, buyers.  
 China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$74 per share.  
 Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited—\$30 per share, buyers.  
 Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited—\$19 1/2, or div. Whimpon Donk Company's Shares—\$2 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$125 per share.  
 Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$170 per share.  
 China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$150 per share, buyers.  
 China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$60 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong Ice Company's Shares—\$64 per share, buyers.  
 Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$10 per share.  
 Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company—\$20 per share.  
 Pungam and Langkai Dua Samantan Mining Company, Limited—\$111 per share.  
 Perak Sugar Cultivation Company—\$18 per share.  
 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$10 per share.  
 A. S. Watson & Co. Limited—\$14 per cent. premium, buyers.  
 Hongkong & Wharfedale and Golder Co. Limited—\$154 per share, sales and buyers.  
 Singapore Insurance Company, Limited—\$21 per share.  
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 D—5 per cent. premium, none.  
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—8 per cent. premium, none.  
 Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E—9 per cent. premium, none.

## HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Messrs. Paterson &amp; Co.'s Barometer.)

Barometer—H.M.	Thermometer—H.M.	Thermometer—F.M.
29.92	70.3	55.7
29.91	70.3	55.7
29.90	70.3	55.7
29.89	70.3	55.7
29.88	70.3	55.7
29.87	70.3	55.7
29.86	70.3	55.7
29.85	70.3	55.7
29.84	70.3	55.7
29.83	70.3	55.7
29.82	70.3	55.7
29.81	70.3	55.7
29.80	70.3	55.7
29.79	70.3	55.7
29.78	70.3	55.7
29.77	70.3	55.7
29.76	70.3	55.7
29.75	70.3	55.7
29.74	70.3	55.7
29.73	70.3	55.7
29.72	70.3	55.7
29.71	70.3	55.7
29.70	70.3	55.7
29.69	70.3	55.7
29.68	70.3	55.7
29.67	70.3	55.7
29.66	70.3	55.7
29.65	70.3	55.7
29.64	70.3	55.7
29.63	70.3	55.7
29.62	70.3	55.7
29.61	70.3	55.7
29.60	70.3	55.7
29.59	70.3	55.7
29.58	70.3	55.7
29.57	70.3	55.7
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29.54	70.3	55.7
29.53	70.3	55.7
29.52	70.3	55.7
29.51	70.3	55.7
29.50	70.3	55.7
29.49	70.3	55.7
29.48	70.3	55.7
29.47	70.3	55.7
29.46	70.3	55.7
29.45	70.3	55.7
29.44	70.3	55.7
29.43	70.3	55.7
29.42	70.3	55.7
29.41	70.3	55.7
29.40	70.3	55.7
29.39	70.3	55.7
29.38	70.3	55.7
29.37	70.3	55.7
29.36	70.3	55.7
29.35	70.3	55.7
29.34	70.3	55.7
29.33	70.3	55.7
29.32	70.3	55.7
29.31	70.3	55.7
29.30	70.3	55.7
29.29	70.3	55.7
29.28	70.3	55.7
29.27	70.3	55.7
29.26	70.3	55.7
29.25	70.3	55.7
29.24	70.3	55.7
29.23	70.3	55.7
29.22	70.3	55.7
29.21	70.3	55.7
29.20	70.3	55.7
29.19	70.3	55.7
29.18	70.3	55.7
29.17	70.3	55.7
29.16	70.3	55.7
29.15	70.3	55.7
29.14	70.3	55.7
29.13	70.3	55.7
29.12	70.3	55.7
29.11	70.3	55.7
29.10	70.3	55.7
29.09	70.3	55.7
29.08	70.3	55.7
29.07	70.3	55.7
29.06	70.3	55.7
29.05	70.3	55.7
29.04	70.3	55.7
29.03	70.3	55.7
29.02	70.3	55.7
29.01	70.3	55.7
29.00	70.3	55.7

## CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

18th April, 1888, at 10 A.M.

Station	Barometer	Thermometer	Wind	Clouds	Remarks
Hongkong	29.92	70.3	W	1/4	
Shanghai	29.91	70.3	W	1/4	
Amoy	29.90	70.3	W	1/4	
Swatow	29.89	70.3	W	1/4	
Shantou	29.88	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.87	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.86	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.85	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.84	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.83	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.82	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.81	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.80	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.79	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.78	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.77	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.76	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.75	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.74	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.73	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.72	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.71	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.70	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.69	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.68	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.67	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.66	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.65	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.64	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.63	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.62	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.61	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.60	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.59	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.58	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.57	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.56	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.55	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.54	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.53	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.52	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.51	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.50	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.49	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.48	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.47	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.46	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.45	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.44	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.43	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.42	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.41	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.40	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.39	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.38	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.37	70.3	W	1/4	
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Keelung	29.22	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.21	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.20	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.19	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.18	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.17	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.16	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.15	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.14	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.13	70.3	W	1/4	
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Keelung	29.01	70.3	W	1/4	
Keelung	29.00	70.3	W	1/4	

The barometer has fallen since the 18th of April, and is now at 29.92.

W. DOBERCK, Hongkong Observatory, 20th April, 1888.

## METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Previous day, at 4 p.m.

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alipon .....	28.98	77	81	2	o	--
alipon .....	30.00	83	--	2	b	--
alipon .....	---	---	85	2	--	--

The Barometer has fallen along the E. coast of China and gradients are very gentle. Overcast, warm and deep weather prevails with fog in some places.

**W. DOBERCK.**  
Hongkong Observatory, 20th April, 1888.



